DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)		4·599	5·17	Seers per rupee.
Ragi.	...	9·478	8·15	

Agricultural operations.—Paddy thrashing is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in Devanhalli Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Vaisakhi paddy in Channapatna Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks; pulses in Hoskote, Doddballapur, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks. Kulthi in Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks, Mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk, Closepet Sub-Taluk and castor in Closepet Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Channapatna and Anekal Taluks; ragi in parts of Hoskote, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks.

Estimated yield.—Paddy 6 annas in Anekal Taluk, and kulthi 8 annas, ragi 8 and 12 annas in Channapatna Taluk and 8 annas in Devanhalli Taluk.

Damages to crops.—It is reported that the avare crop is damaged by insects owing to the recent cloudy weather.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Magadi, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Relapsing fever is reported from Channapatna Taluk. Ordinary fever is reported from Anekal Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for chappe roga in Sivapur in the Dodballapur Taluk. It is reported that intimation has been given to the Veterinary Inspector to do the needful. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks. Sugar-cane in parts of Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and jola in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk.

Crops harvested and their out-turn.—Paddy in parts of the Chintamani, Bagepalli, and Srinivaspur Taluks; probable yield 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of the Goribidnur Taluk. Horse gram in parts of the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare and togari are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks, and relapsing fever in parts of the Kolar and Bagepalli Taluks and in a village of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks and Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks; jola in parts of Maddagiri Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; kadale in parts of Gubbi Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Avare in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli and Pavagada Taluks, yield 4 annas; togari in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Pavagada Taluks, yield 4 annas; Kulthi in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira, Pavagada and Kunigal Taluks, and Kortatagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 8 annas; sugar-cane in parts of Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 to 12 annas; ragi in parts of Maddagiri Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Kunigal Taluks and Kortagere Sub-Taluk; navane, savé and korle in parts Sira Taluk; haraka in parts of Sira, Gubbi, and Kunigal Taluks, yield 12 annas; groundnut in parts of Pavagada Taluk and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; yield 10 to 12 annas. Castor in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, avare, togari, sugar-cane, kulthi, castor, ragi, jola, kadale and cotton are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Good.

11. Public health is reported to be good in all parts of the district, except for plague in parts of Tumkur and Tiptur Taluks; relapsing fever in parts of Koratagere Sub-Taluk and cough in parts of Kunigal Taluk. It is further reported that precautionary measures are being taken to arrest the spread of the diseases.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all parts of the district, except for rinderpest at Naduvanahalli in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk and Muginaroga from which the sheep in parts of Nidagal hobli are reported to be suffering. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been written to in the matter.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Mysore and Gundlupet Taluks.

Standing crops are paddy, sugar-cane, horse gram, ramtil, avare, castor, chillies, mulberry, kadale, coriander, togari, tadaguni, groundnut, samé, cotton, haraka, black and green grams and they are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Seringapatam Hunsur (12 annas), Yedatore (12 annas), Heggaddevankote (12 annas), Gundlupet (16 annas), Nanjangud (12 annas), T.-Narsipur (8 annas), Malvalli, Mandya, and Nagamangala (12 annas) Taluks, sugar-cane in parts of T.-Narsipur Taluk, ragi in parts Seringapatam, Hunsur (12 annas) and Nagamangala (12 annas) Taluks, togari in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar (12 annas), Heggaddevankote (10 annas), Nanjangud, and T.-Narsipur Taluks; horse gram in parts of Mysore, Chamrajnagar (12 annas), Hunsur, (12 annas), Heggaddevankote (12 annas), Gundlupet (8 annas), Nanjangud, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete (8 to 12 annas), and Nagamangala (12 annas) Taluks, avare in parts of Mysore, Gundlupet (8 annas), and Nanjangud Taluks, castor in parts of Gundlupet (8 annas), and Nanjangud Taluks; green gram in parts of Gundlupet (4 to 8 annas) and Nanjangud Taluks black gram (4 to 8 annas) in parts of Gundlupet Taluk, and haraka in parts of Malvalli Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Mysore, Hunsur, Yedatore, Gundlupet, Nanjangud, T.-Narsipur and Mandya Taluks and relapsing fever in parts of Mandya Taluk. Rats are reported to be dying in parts of Malvalli Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Sapperoga in parts of Chamrajnagar and Mandya Taluks, Doddaroga in parts of Hunsur and Gundlupet Taluks and foot and mouth disease in parts of Mandya and Gundlupet Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Condition of the standing crops.*—Togari, avare and horse gram in the Hassan Taluk; horse gram, sugar-cane, avare, togari in the Belur Taluk; paddy, sugar-cane, avare and kadale in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar-cane, horse gram in the Arsikere Taluk; avare, kadale and sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; sugar-cane, and avare in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Cardamom in the Manjarabad Taluk; horse gram and togari in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar-cane and horse gram in the Arsikere Taluk; paddy and horse gram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to have been harvested.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of Hassan, Hole-Narsipur and Alur Sub-Taluk Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy, but for doddaroga in parts of Hassan, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in the taluks of Nagar and Tirthahalli; ragi in the Nagar Taluk; horse gram in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Nagar; togari, Bengal gram, Bilejola and avare in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali; wheat, cotton, chillies and coriander in the Honnali Taluk are reported to be in fairly good condition.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli; sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; horse gram in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali and Nagar and areca in the taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli.

10. The prospects of the season are fair.

11. There is plague in Shimoga town, Bhadravati, Holehonnur, Anaveri, Mangoti, Holalur, Nimbegindi, Jambarghatta, Chendanakere and Domabarabhyrnahalli in the Shimoga Taluk, Durvigere in the Channagiri Taluk, Nyamti and Belagutti in the Honnali Taluk; Anavatti in the Sorab Taluk and in parts of Shikarpur Taluk. Relapsing fever is still prevalent in Kerebilchi, in the Channagiri Taluk and malaria in the Sagar Taluk. Except for foot and mouth disease in Devarahalli and "Galale Roga (ಗಳಲೆರೋಗ) in Heruda in the Channagiri Taluk and rinderpest in Thyarandur in the Tirthahalli Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are available all over the district, except in a few villages of the Honnali, Kasba Magani, where they are reported to be available in limited quantities.

KADUR.

8. The markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane and Kode paddy.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—menthya, sugar-cane, garlic, Bengal gram and avare. Kadur—Bengal gram, menthya, horse gram, cholum, wheat and sugar-cane. Tarikere—sugar-cane, Bengal gram, castor and besige cholum. Koppa—paddy, areca and sugar-cane. Mudgere—paddy, coffee and cardamom. Narasimharajpura—sugar-cane. The standing crops are in good condition.

Crops harvested—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane and coffee, yield 8 annas. Kadur—ragi, paddy, mustard, samé, navane and coriander. Koppa—sugar-cane. Mudgere—paddy and coffee. Narasimharajapur—areca.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices remain steady.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Kadur and Tarikere Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Foot and mouth disease prevails in samse village of the Mudgere Taluk. The Amildar as addressed the Veterinary Inspector in the matter. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, jola, navane, togari, avare, horse gram, kadle, wheat, cotton, chillies, castor, and sugar-cane are reported to be in fairly good condition. Jola in parts of Hiriyur Taluk is attacked with "ಜೊಳ್ಳಿನರೋಗ."

Seeds sown.—Paddy in Molakalmuru and Challakere Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug Taluk—ragi, jola, horse gram, sajje, avare, togari and navane, (0-8-0). Challakere Taluk—navane, sajje and avare. Holalkere Taluk—avare, togari, and horse gram (8 to 12 annas). Davangere Taluk—ragi, jola, navane, savé, and togari (0-8-0). Jagalur Taluk—ragi, navane, and horse gram (6 to 8 annas). Hosdurga Taluk—paddy, ragi, navane, horse gram, avare, and sajje (0-8-0). Hiriyur Taluk—ragi, navane, sajje and avare.

10. Fair. Foodstuffs available. Cooly classes are finding sufficient labour. Prices stationary.

11. Public health is generally good but for plague in some villages of Davangere, Challakere, Jagalur and Hosdurga Taluks and relapsing fever in Jankal of Hosdurga Taluk, ordinary fever in Hiriyur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy but for "ಮುಂಗಿಲುಮೆತ್ತಿರೋಗ" to sheep and goats Hiniriyur Taluk and "ಗಳಲಂರೋಗ" in Alur of Davangere Taluk.

Water and fodder available.

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